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Specification Amendments:

Brief Description of Drawings

- [0006] 1-Figure 1 shows a front view of the waterproof scrubbing glove for this invention.
- [0007] 2- Figure 2 shows a side view of the waterproof scrubbing glove for this invention.
- [0008] 3-Figure 3 shows an up close side view of a portion of the waterproof scrubbing glove for this invention.

Detailed Description

- [0009] Figure 1, which describes the most common embodiment of the waterproof scrubbing glove for this invention, shows a front view of the glove that has 1 thumb stall and 4 finger stalls with bristles covering the entire front surface of the glove 1c shown in fig. 1, and bristles at the tips of the finger stalls 1b shown in fig. 1, and along the sides of the palm 1a shown in fig. 1. Figure 1 shows a thin layer of absorbent material which covers the entire front surface of the glove 1d shown in fig. 1, circular groupings of the bristles on the palm portion of the glove 1e shown in fig. 1, and other areas of the glove where the user can apply pressure 1f shown in fig. 1, strips of rubber like material positioned along the finger and thumb stalls 1g shown in fig. 1.
- [0010] Figure 2 shows a side view of the waterproof scrubbing glove detailing the bristle coverage throughout the surface of the glove. This view shows the flexibility of the glove and displays a side view of the finger stalls which have bristles covering the surface of all stalls 2a shown in fig. 3, bristles covering the front surface of the palm area 2c shown in fig. 2, as well as bristles at the tips of the finger and thumb stalls 2b shown in fig. 2.
- [0011] Figure 3 shows another up close side view of a portion of the glove, detailing the various materials and elements that make up its structure. The glove 3a shown in fig. 3, has a layer of absorbent material on the surface of the glove 3b shown in fig. 3, bristles covering the surface of the glove 3c shown in fig. 3, and a strip of rubber like material on the surface 3d shown in fig. 3.
- [0012] The density of the coverage of bristles for all embodiments of this invention can be similar to that found on some standalone brushes, toothbrushes, and alike. The absorbent link material positioned along the entire front surface of the glove is similar to a sponge. The strips of rubber like material positioned throughout the glove can be similar to that found on a wiper blade or gum massager.

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[0013] Taking into consideration the foregone shortcomings with the existing technology, the present invention is a stain and dirt removal waterproof scrub glove. The glove has a thin layer of absorbent sponge like material which covers the entire surface of the glove 1d shown in fig. 1, strips of flexible scouring material made of rubber or similar material positioned along key pressure points of the glove 1g shown in fig. 1, bristles, which can be made of at least one of either synthetic fiber, metal fiber and other material and which covers the surface of the glove 1c shown in fig. 1, 2c shown in fig. 2, and 3a shown in fig. 3, circular groupings of bristles 1e and 1f shown in fig. 1. Examples of other synthetic fibers that can be used for the bristle on the surface of the glove include polyamide fiber, polyolefin fiber, polyester fiber and others. These materials are built into the glove structure 1a, 1b, 1c, 1d, 1e, 1f, 1g as shown in fig. 1; 2a, 2b, 2c as shown in fig. 2; and 3b, 3c, 3d as shown in fig. 3. The glove is waterproof and covers the entire surface of a person's hand including the thumb and finger stalls. The absorbent material can cover the entire hand portion of the glove, which includes the palm surface of the glove 1d shown in fig. 1. The scrubbing material can cover the entire hand portion of the glove, which includes the palm surface of the glove 1c shown in fig. 1, 2c shown in fig. 2, as well as the side of the palm 1a shown in fig. 1, as well as the sides and tips of the finger stalls including the thumb stall 1b shown in fig. 1, 2b shown in fig. 2. An example of uses for the side palm bristles 1a shown in fig. 1 is that it can be used to apply direct pressure to clean the lines between tiles, and the bristles located at the tips of finger stalls 1b shown in fig. 1; 2b shown in fig. 2; 3b shown in fig. 3, can be used to clean tight corners and spaces between tiles and the tight spots around a sink faucet, etc.

[0014] Because the absorbent material and bristles are built into the structure of the glove as shown in fig. 1, fig. 2, and fig. 3, which covers the user's hand, the shortcomings associated with the cleaning actions which are normally performed with a stand alone brush and which include having the brush slipping or falling out of the user's hand when cleaning, will be eliminated as the absorbent material, bristles, rubber strips and glove are now one unit as shown in fig. 1, fig. 2 and fig. 3.

[0015] As the absorbent material and the bristles cover the surface of the glove which contours the user's hand, the cleaning action performed by the described invention will be more natural, versatile, and efficient as the hand is flexible and the natural movements of the hand will allow the user to clean various shaped objects and surfaces, as well as hard to reach places that a regular brush cannot reach but that the hand can. The rubber strips 1a as shown in fig. 1 will allow for both a scrubbing and polishing action as the user moves the glove in a circular motion while cleaning. The bristles at the tips of the finger stalls 1b as shown in fig. 1; 2b as shown in fig. 2, will allow the user to clean tight spaces that only a finger can reach and apply pressure to, such as the corner between a tub and the tile wall or the lines between tiles. The described invention will also make it easier for people that suffer with joint problems to use as they can avoid using extra pressure, which is usually needed when gripping onto an external brush device.

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[0016] Though the described invention has an optimal use for bathrooms to clean showers, tubs and sinks, and for the kitchen, its use is not limited to the like and includes many other uses.